

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the Title with the following:

**NUCLEIC ACID ENCODING HUMAN ORPHAN G PROTEIN-COUPLED RECEPTOR**

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following amended text:

[0001] This patent document claims priority benefit of each of the following applications, all filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office via U.S. Express Mail on the indicated filing dates: U.S. Provisional No. 60/121,852[[:]], filed Feb. 26, 1999 claiming the benefit of U.S. Provisional No. 60/109,213, filed Nov. 20, 1998; U.S. Provisional No. 60/120,416, filed Feb. 16, 1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/123,946, filed Mar. 12, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/123,949, filed Mar. 12, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/136,436, filed May 28, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/136,439, filed May 28, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/136,567, filed May 28, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/137,127, filed May 28, 1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/137,131, filed May 28, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 141,448, filed June 29, 1999 ~~claiming priority from~~ U.S. Provisional No. 60/136,437, filed May 28, 1999, U.S. Provisional Number 60/156,653 \_\_\_\_\_ (~~Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc. docket number CHN10-1~~), filed Sep. 29, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/156,333, filed Sep. 29, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/156,555, filed Sep. 29, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/156,634, filed Sep. 29, 1999; U.S. Provisional No. 60/157,280, \_\_\_\_\_ (~~Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc. docket number RUP6-1~~), filed Oct. 1, 1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/157,294, (~~Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc. docket number RUP7-1~~), filed Oct. 1, 1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/157,281, \_\_\_\_\_ (~~Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc. docket number CHN6-1~~), filed Oct. 1, 1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/157,293, \_\_\_\_\_, (~~Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc., docket number RUP5-1~~), filed Oct. 1,

1999; U.S. Provisional Number 60/157,282, ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc. docket number CHN9-1)~~, filed Oct. 1, 1999.

**[0001a]** ~~This patent document is related to~~ U.S. Ser. No. 09/170,496 filed Oct. 13, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,555,339, ~~and U.S. Serial Number 09/416,760, unknown (Woodcock Washburn Kurtz Mackiewicz & Norris, LLP docket number AREN-0054) filed on Oct. 12, 1999, (now abandoned); (via U.S. Express Mail) both being incorporated herein by reference.~~ ~~This patent document also is related to~~ and U.S. Ser. No. 09/364,425[[;]], filed Jul. 30, 1999, now pending, which is are each incorporated by reference in its entirety. Each of the foregoing applications are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.